



PATENT
ATTY. DOCKET NO.: P71027US0

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Confirmation No.: 9545

Franz-Wilhelm KOERDT et al.

Group Art Unit: 2856

U.S. Appln. No.: 10/568,830

Examiner: J. M. Saint Surin

Filed: November 6, 2006

For: ACOUSTIC METHOD FOR MEASURING A SIGNAL PROPAGATION TIME IN A MEDICAL LIQUID AND DEVICE FOR USING THIS METHOD

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

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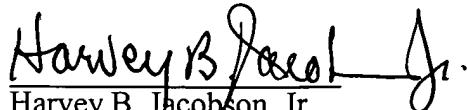
Amendment Under 37 CFR 1.111

Fee Calculation					
Excess Claims					
	Nº of Claims	Highest Nº Paid For	Excess Claims	Small Entity Fee	Large Entity Fee
<i>Total</i>	18	$\ominus 20 =$	-2	$\otimes \$25 =$ \$	$\otimes \$50 =$ \$
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[] Multiple Dependent Claims (1 st Filing)				$\oplus \$180 =$ \$	$\oplus \$360 =$ \$
Excess Claims Fee				\$	\$
Total Fee Due				\$0	\$0

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Mail Stop Amendment
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 13, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin at page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin at page 4.

Remarks begin at page 10.